GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA District Department of the Environment



Office of the Director

January 13, 2010

Dear Riggs Park Residents:

The District Department of the Environment (DDOE) and the Mayor's Office have recently received several inquiries from many Riggs Park residents on the status of the home-by-home reports which DDOE is preparing. Accordingly, this letter is intended to provide all interested members of the community with an update on the completion of the home-by-home reports.

DDOE is in the process of preparing home-by-home summary reports of the SSP&A data. The home-by home reports will include a summary of all the data for Q1, Q2, and Q3, as well as a summary of the risk for each individual home. These reports will be forwarded to you as soon as they are ready. We have been slower at getting these done than we would have liked because of the need to find new funding sources to complete this effort, but DDOE is hoping they will be sent out to all residents by March 2010.

This letter shall also serve as a reminder that all of the data which will be contained in the home-by-home reports has already been made available to the Riggs Park community and the general public, in several formats. First, DDOE has offered to provide a copy of the administrative record underlying DDOE's proposed remedy selection in <u>DVD</u> format to any member of the community who requests one, and have already provided copies in response to resident requests. In addition, as you already know, we have placed the administrative record and reports in the Lamond-Riggs Public Library, and have provided the Library with electronic copies of all non-confidential information on DVDs. Confidential information is identified on the administrative record index, but is not publicly available, and is maintained in DDOE's files. DDOE staff members have traveled to the library several times, and have been in contact with the librarian there to ensure that the library has the necessary equipment to read the discs we have placed there. Finally, DDOE has placed the administrative record as well as a significant number of Riggs Park related information on its website.

Sincerely,

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Interim Director

